In the Name of God Amen The Thirteenth Day of October in the Year of our Lord One thousand Seven hundred and fifty-four I Ambrose White of Worcester County in the Province of Maryland Planter being Sick and weak in Body but in perfect Mind and Memory thanks be given to God therefore Calling to Mind the Mortality of my Body and knowing that it appointed for all Men once to Die Make and ordain this my Last Will and Testament that is to say principally and first of all I give and Recommend my Soul into the hands of God that gave it and for my Body I Recomend it to ye Earth to be in a Christian Like Manner at the Discretion of my Executors nothing Doubting but at General Resurrection I shall receive the same again by the Mighty power of God and touching such Worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to Bless me in this Life I give Demise and Dispose of the Same in the following Manner and Form. Imprimus I give and Bequeath to Eldest Daughter Hanah White one Negro Girl Called Nancy, one feather Bed and furniture, to her her Heirs and Assigns for ever. Item I give and Bequeath to my Daughter Jane White one Negro Girl called Pipp and one feather Bed and furniture to her her hiers and Assigns for ever. Item I give and Bequeath To Daughter Mary White One Negro Girl Called Sall and one feather Bed and furniture To her her Heirs and Assigns for ever. Item I give and Bequeath to my Son Ambrose White one Negro Boy Called Sambo To him his Heirs and Assigns for Ever. Item I give and Bequeath to my three Sons Jacob White Peter White and Wrixham White my Lands Messuages and Tenaments viz. happy Entrance and Whites addettion to be Equally Devided amongst them Quantity and Quality only that my Son Wrixham to have the Manour Plantation To them their heirs and Assigns for Ever. And Lastly I Leave and Bequeath to my True and Lawfull Wife Bathsheba White after my Lawfull Debts being paid all and singular my Whole and sole Estate whatsoever and Wheresoever whom I also appoint, Make ordain and Constitute the only and sole Administratrix of this my Last Will and Testament and I do hereby utterly Disallow Revoke and Disanull all and Every other former Wills, Legacies and Executors by me any ways before

this Time named Willed and Bequeathed, Ratifying and Confirming this and no other to be my Last Will and Testament in Witness whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and Seal the Day and Year first above written

Ambrose White (Seal)

Signed Seald, published, pronounced and Declard by the said Ambrose White as his Last Will and Testament in Presence of us the Subscribers

Hinman Wharton Senr, Elizabeth her mark Smith, Daniel Cox Junr

On the Back of the foregoing Will was thus written — viz.

March ye 6 — 1755 Came Hinman Wharton and Daniel Cox Two of the Subscribing Witnesses to the foregoing Will and made oath on the Holy Avangalis of Almighty God that they Saw the Testator Ambrose White Sign seal and heard him publish, pronounce and Declare the same to be his Last Will and Testament and that at the Time of his So Doing he was to the best of their apprehension of a Sound Disposing Mind and Memory and that they Subscribed their names as Witnesses to the forgoing Will in the presence of the Testator & by his Request and that they Saw Elizabeth Smith the other Subscribing Witness Sign as a Witness to the said Will in the Presence of the Testator and at his Request. Sworn before

Benton Harris D Commy of Worcester County

March ye 8th 1755 Came Bathsheba White Widow and Relict of Ambrose White Late of Worcester County Deceased and Quitted Claim to the Devises and Bequeath to her Made in the foregoing Will and Elected in Lieu thereof have the third part of the Deceds Estates as allowed by Law — Before Benton Harris D Commy of Worcester County

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In the Name of God Amen I John Purnell Senr of Worcester of Worcester County in the Province of Maryland being Sick and weak of Body but of perfect Sence and Memory praised be God but Considering with myself the frailty & uncertainty of this present Transitory Life & that all flesh must Submit to Death when it shall please God to Call: do therefore Hereby Declare Nominate ordain and appoint this my Last Will and Testament & revoking & Disannulling all former Wills heretofore by me made; & my Will is that this only Shall stand & be for & as my Last Will & Testament & none other in Manner and form following.